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TO: DIRECTOR

FROM: JMWAVE

ACTION: SAS 8

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INTEL TYPIC

SUPDATA: AMLISP-1 IN SW MSG 317 DTD 10 NOV RECD FROM TRANSLATION 30 NOV 63. INFORMANTS ARE AUDILIO (HERRERA) SURGIDERO DE BATABANO RESIDENT AND FORMER WHOLESALE FRUIT VENDOR, AND EDILIO (GOMEZ) RESIDENT OF FINCA ALGOBIN, BATABANO. BOTH WERE RECRUITED BY (FNU) DE LA TORRE FULL IDEN NOT ESTABLISHED. FIELD COMMENTS ARE FROM AMSUM-4 MONITORING OF CLT. RID. NO INDEX. FILED 120028Z

REPORT CLASS SECRET NO FOREIGN DISSEM CONTROLLED DISSEM

COUNTRY: CUBA

SUBJ: 1. TRAVEL OF SOVIETS FROM BATABANO TO ISLA DE PINOS.

2. CARGO TRAFFIC BETWEEN ISLA DE PINOS AND BATABANAO

IW COMMENT: NO DISSEMINATION OF THE ATTACHED ED PORTION OF THIS CABLE HAS BEEN MADE OUTSIDE THE AGENCY PENDING RELEASE BY THE ACTION UNIT.

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APPRAISAL

FIELD REPORT NO.

THIS IS UNEVALUATED INFORMATION. SOURCE GRADINGS ARE DEFINITIVE. APPRAISAL OF CONTENT IS TENTATIVE.

SOURCE

1. ON 6 NOVEMBER 1963, AT ABOUT 6:ØØ P.M., TWO TRUCKS, NOT OF U.S. MANUFACTURE, TRANSPORTING A TOTAL OF 24 MEN, WHO APPEARED TO BE SOVIETS, ARRIVED IN BATABANO, HABANA PROVINCE. THE MEN WERE WELL-GROOMED, WORE CLEAN CLOTHES AND WERE CARRYING SUITCASES AND BUNDLES. AT MIDNIGHT THESE INDIVIDUALS BOARDED THE FERRY SAILING FOR ISLA DE PINOS. (FIELD COMMENT: A USALLY RELIABLE SOURCE REPORTED THAT THE ISLA DE TESORO, THE REGULAR FERRY TO ISLA DE PINOS, DEPARTED FROM BATABANO FOR GERONA, ISLA DE PINOS, ON THE NIGHT OF 6 NOVEMBER.)

2. ON 31 OCTOBER AT ABOUT 1Ø:ØØ P.M., TWO OLIVE GREEN TRAILER

SECRET CLASSIFICATION — DISSEMINATION CONTROLS

GROUP 1 Excluded from automatic downgrading and declassification

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TRUCKS HAULING BOXES ARRIVED AT THE PORT OF BATABANO FROM ISLA DE PINOS.

3. ON 28 OCTOBER AT ABOUT 3:00 P.M., TWO OLIVE GREEN TEN-WHEELED TRUCKS DRIVEN BY MILITIAMEN ARRIVED IN BATABANO AND WERE SHIPPED ABOARD THE ISLA DE PINOS FERRY WHICH LEFT THE SLIP AT 4:00 P.M. THE TRUCKS HAD AN ENCLOSED METAL BODY WITH SMALL SIDE WINDOWS AND EACH TRUCK PULLED A FOUR-WHEELED TRAILER. (FIELD COMMENT: A USUALLY RELIABLE SOURCE REPORTED THAT ON 28 OCTOBER ZIL TRUCKS WERE ON BOARD THE ISLA DE TESORO FERRY WHICH SAILED FOR GERONA.)

4. FIELD DISSEM: CINCSO, CINCLANT, COMNAVKEYWEST.

END OF MESSAGE

CLASSIFICATION — DISSEMINATION CONTROLS

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